

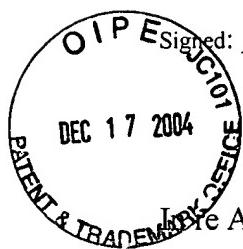
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

The following is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed July 13, 2004, and the Advisory Action mailed October 22, 2004. Applicant thanks the Examiner for the telephone interview on November 11, 2004, in which the Examiner explained that the improper box in Item 7 of the Advisory Action had been checked and that the amendment filed on October 13, 2004 had not been entered.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are found on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.